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## THE SANTON GROUP TAKE PART IN CHILDREN'S TAKEOVER DAY

The Santon Group's Clive Wilding



A Children's Takeover Day was held in Lewes last Friday (23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2012) with pupils from Priory School who looked at ideas for the redevelopment of the North Street Quarter of Lewes. They were joined by the Leader of Lewes District Council, Councillor James Page; the Corporate Head of Communities and Enterprise, Nilam Popat; Property Director of the Santon Group, Clive Wilding; Philip Naylor, Justine Rattray and Andrew Shorten, Architects from RH Partnership and Susie Latta from DemSoc.



Pupils from Priory School, Lewes



The day was to give young people experience of the world of work, decision making and to have a chance to have their voices heard. They discussed what was important to them in their life in Lewes and drew up what they would like to see included in developments in the North Street Quarter. Ideas included a public square, river walkway and a cinema. This is an early stage in the consultation on the redevelopment of the area. The pupils will continue to be involved as youth ambassadors when the public consultation starts in 2013.

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